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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures dated April 26, 2001 be extended for a period of five (5) month(s) from May 26, 2001 to and including October 26, 2001.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$980.00 (small entity). Please charge the required fee to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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